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Attorney Docket No.: LAM1P123/P0557

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Title: PLASMA PROCESSING SYSTEM WITH
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Linda L. Pollock**AMENDMENT H TRANSMITTAL**Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	51	MINUS	53	0	x 9 =	x 18 = \$0
Independent Claims	5	MINUS	5	0	x 43 =	x 86 = \$0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$145.00	\$290.00
Total					\$	\$0

- ☐ Applicants hereby petition for a _____ month extension of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicants believe that no Extension of Time is required. However, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicants hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. LAM1P123).

Respectfully submitted,
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AMENDMENT H

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.